

Scary Stories

For Early Readers



This Book is Haunted

by Joanne Rocklin

Six, slightly spooky tales. **Level D**

* Sleepy Hollow Sleepover

by Ron Roy

Spending Halloween in legendary Sleepy Hollow, Dink, Josh and Ruth Rose check into an old cabin and take a haunted hay ride before investigating the Old Dutch Church for sightings of the famous Headless Horseman, a visit complicated by unexpected occurrences. **Level E @**



In a Dark, Dark Room : and Other Scary Stories

by Alvin Schwartz

Seven spooky stories inspired by traditional folklore, including "The Teeth," "In the

Graveyard," "The Green Ribbon," "In a Dark, Dark Room," "The Night It Rained," "The Pirate" and "The Ghost of John." **Level C @**

* Scooby-Doo!: Franken Creepy

Scooby-Doo

After Velma inherits a creepy old castle, she and the rest of "Mystery Incorporated" have to uncover the mystery of the castle's live-in monster, Frankencreep. **Level D**



Never Kick a Ghost and Other Silly Chillers

by Judy Sierra

A collection of silly and slightly scary traditional tales and school yard

rhymes. **Level C**

The Canterville Ghost

by Oscar Wilde

An adaptation of Oscar Wilde's story about a ghost who is outraged when the new owners of his haunted house refuse to take him seriously. **Level D**



* Indicates part of a series

@ Electronic book or audiobook available

Level A, B and C-----Beginning Readers

Level D-----First Chapter Books

Level E-----Transitional Chapter Books



* Bad Hair Day

by Jim Benton

Science-loving Franny K. Stein engages in a series of experiments to turn beauty products into something more exciting, with unexpectedly catastrophic results. **Level E**

* Beneath the Bed and Other Scary Stories

by Max Brallier

A spine-tingling volume of short stories designed for campfires, sleepovers and scary-story enthusiasts. **Level D**



* Bites

by Steven Brezenoff

Twelve-year-old Collin Bertram is disturbed when his new acquaintance Tucker tells him about the vampire attacks--but not for the reason you might think. **Level E**

* Spooky Ballet!

by Michael Broad

Young Amelia, a secret agent, investigates a class of entranced ballet students, a scarecrow that can control crows, and a librarian whose work on the school library's computers seems to turn students into robots.

Level E @



* The Ghost in the Tree House

by Dori Hillestad Butler

Discovering that a neighbor's tree house is haunted, Kaz and Claire wonder if the ghost is one of Kaz's departed ancestors or if a jealous kid is causing problems in order to split up the ghost-busting club. **Level E @**



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* The End of Orson Eerie?

by Jack Chabert

When Eerie Elementary hosts a haunted house for the town's Eerie Day celebration, Sam and his fellow hall monitors are trapped in a hayride maze by a pumpkin attack orchestrated by a fiendish mad scientist. **Level D**



* Battle of the Boss-Monster

by Troy Cummings

Alexander and his Super Secret Monster Patrol friends work to defeat the boss-monster who kidnapped fellow monster fighter Ms. Vanderpants and stole the Notebook of Doom. **Level D**

* Dirk Bones and the Mystery of the Haunted House

by Doug Cushman

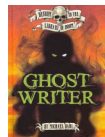
When two ghosts are being frightened by strange sounds, reporter Dirk Bones looks to find out who or what is to blame. **Level C @**



* Ghost Writer

by Michael Dahl

Simon Skull, an embittered writer, is creating strange blank books, which turn the readers into phantoms--can the Librarian reverse the spell and rescue his friends? **Level E**



* Mavis Makes a Friend

by Sheila Sweeny Higginson

Wanting to prove that she can take care of a living creature, Mavis rescues a "bad egg", but when the egg hatches she learns that her adorable creature eats vampires. **Level D**



Monster School : the Spooky Sleepover

by David Keane

Regular kid Norm reluctantly attends a monster school sleepover, fearing the idea of sleeping away from home much more than he fears his monster peers. **Level C @**



* Katie and the Haunted Museum

by Fran Manushkin

Katie, her father, Jojo, and Pedro are on a special sleepover at the museum; but at night the dark halls are spooky, and it is easy to imagine that the dinosaurs are ghosts haunting the museum--and when Mr. Woo disappears the children become frightened. **Level C**

* Surf's Up, Creepy Stuff!

by Andres Miedoso

Desmond and Andres battle beach bullies who also happen to be creepy monsters. **Level D**



* Gruesome Ghosts

by Barbara Mitchelhill

Damian Drooth, supersleuth, is called on to the case of a haunted house. **Level E**

Eek! Stories to Make You Shriek

by Jane O'Connor

Three easy-to-read scary stories about a talking doll, a dog picture that barks, and a Halloween monster. **Level D**



Agatha Parrot and the Odd Street School Ghost

by Kjartan Poskitt

Agatha Parrot and her gang of friends investigate mysterious sights and sounds that are complicated by a turtle, a stinky snack food and a prankster, in order to discover if Odd Street School is haunted. **Level E @**

Stories of Ghosts

by Russell Punter

In three tales, Mr. Slate has plans for Shiversham Hall, Tammy Tremble learns how to be a ghost, and Harry Hall haunts Glen's television. **Level D**

